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Rye futures: Average daily volume of trading on the Chicago Board of Trade, by months, 1921 - 1940

	•	(In thousan	nd bushels,	i.e., 000 om	itted)	
Year	January	February	March	April	May	June
1921	655	479	518	846	677	592
1922	190	1,109	684	772	912	960
1923	1,069	625	727	1,395	1,315	1,350
1924	326	354	660	· 868	569	1,903
1925	3,973	3,705	4,128	2,481	1,670	1,774
1926	1,257	1,735	1,372	1,525	1,187	1,917
1927	1,580	1,353	1,512	1,814	2,173	1,571
1928	620	811	1,097	1,733	1,334	1,645
1929	1,039	991	¹ 671	1,050	1,006	1,125
1930	1.966	2,468	2,895	2,006	1,003	2,390
1931	534	647	458	994	1,168	770
1932	405	450	1,034	1,078	675	704
1933	192	67	230	975	1,321	2,774
1934	662	440	313	1,692	1,039	1,500
1935	801	671	978	1,813	1,121	1,023
1936	323	334	. 290	460	454	723
1937	1,243	1,092	1,241	1,324	1,172	1,847
1938	225	159	180	347	242	259
1939	220	109	150	313	1,049	973
1940	1,223	1,000	659	1,407	1,679	916
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990

1,245

1,091

1,336

925

Average

930

Year	July	August	September	October	November	December
1921	720	643	683	696	682	473
1922	1,144	1,452	1,449	1,548	2,399	1,621
1923	713	757	1,151	765	735	632
1924	3,633	3,109	4,457	4,945	4,038	3,275
1925	1,258	1,688	1,837	849	1,285	2,772
1926	2,876	1,318	1,034	770	1,743	1,042
1927	1,230	1,701	1,756	1,369	1,486	842
1928	1,946	1,369	1,632	1,665	1,016	883
1929	1,913	1,313	1,024	1,072	2,007	1,520
1930	1,613'	2,396	1,797	1,004	1,938	1,337
1931	488	723	821	750	2,683	884
1932	448	676	431	277	501	242
1933	4,068	1,485	1,282	1,757	1,695	1,190
1934	1,486	1,973	1,266	1,197	1,358	1,463
1935	932	865	1,170	938	589	478
1936	1,310	1,062	623	301	763	1,464
1937	1,376	973	876	544	656	311
1938	283	476	361	187	290	163
1939	782	743	1,148	458	456	1,839
1940	631	996	726	463	864	488
Average	1,442	1,286	1,276	1,078	1,359	1,146



Table 1. WHEAT: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade,
July 1941

	•	Fut	uz·e	:	
Date	July	September	December	May	All futures
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
	0.4.0	0.47.0	4 000		
1	846	8,419	4,639	*	13,904
2 3	818	7,000	2,729		10,637
Holiday	612	4,848	2,178 Lo		7,608
5	382	4,346	2,667		7,395 Lo
Sunday	<i>Φ</i> 0 <i>L</i> ,	*# , 0***0	2,001		7,000 до
7	1,296	12,081	5,420		18,797
8	1,152	13,187 Hi	5,972		21,311 Ei
9	1,241	8,771	4,685		14,697
10	1,200	11,525	6,495		19,220
11	645	7,758	4,750		13,153
12	284	4,604	2,715		7,603
Sunday			,		, , , , ,
14	379	7,810	4,774		12,963
15	342	7,859	5,214		14,415
16	245 Lo	6,446	4,512	215	11,418
17	543	9,976	6,861	112	17,492
18	474	7,856	6,068	11 Lo	14,409
19	316	4,966	3,024	20	8,326
Sunday					, ,
21	368	5,968	3,944	115	10,395
22	425	6,215	4,393	321	11,354
23	1,362 Hi	9,319	5,511	864	17,056
24	1/	7,933	4,448	1,007	13,388
25		5,806	6,088	1,716 Hi	13,610
26		5,422	898	1,330	13,645
Sunday					
28		4,527	6,881	1,505	12,933
29		4,662	7,255	1,232	13,149
30		4,762	8,312 Hi	1,147	13,821
31	~~~	2,668 Lo	4,531.	612	7,811
Total					
July 1941	12,930	184,424	132,959	10,227	340,540
June 1941	65,172	252,206	77,894		395,272
July 1940	17,788	228,944	121,731	5,786	374,249
1/ No trading on	the last sev	en days of t	the delivery	month.	

Table 2. WHEAT: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets, July 1941

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Kensas City Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1941 July	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	l,000 bushels	l,000 bushels	1,000 'bushels
l .2 3 Holiday	13,904 10,637 7,638	1,778 1,722 1,371 Lo	2,059 2,931 2,551	565 443 572	18,306 15,733 12,132
5 Sunday	7,395 Lo	1,515	2,524	350	11,784
7 8 9 10 11 12	18,797 21,311 Hi 14,697 19,220 13,153 7,603	2,559 2,282 2,627 Hi 2,276 1,579 1,385	3,127 Hi 2,395 2,575 2,939 2,135 1,923	629 737 Hi 550 715 508 358	25,112 27,225 Hi 20,449 25,150 17,375 11,269
Sunday 14 15 16 17 18 19 Sunday	12,963 14,415 11,418 17,492 14,409 8,326	2,236 2,496 1,781 1,533 1,483 1,396	2,096 2,021 1,934 2,450 1,677 940 Lo	564 579 501 520 509 291 Lo	17,859 19,511 15,634 21,995 18,078 10,953
21 22 23 24 25 26	10,395 11,354 17,056 13,388 13,610 13,645	2,431 2,046 2,294 2,589 2,050 1,672	1,75 7 1,482 2,100 1,507 1,638 1,379	483 419 507 418 365 358	15,061 15,761 21,57 17,902 17,663 17,054
Sunday 28 29 30 31	12,933 13,149 13,821 7,811	1,754 2,070 2,250 1,667	1,607 1,554 1,697 1,028	441 450 498 331	16,735 17,223 18,266 10,837 Lo
Total July 1941	340,540	50,842	52,52 6	12,661	456,564
June 1941	395,272	42,611	50,332	15,322	503 , 53 7
July 1940	374,249	36,291	69,397	15,227	495,164

Table 3. WHEAT: Open contracts reported by clearing members,
Chicago Board of Trade
July 1941

	:	Futu	re		
Date	July	September :	Lecember	May	All futures
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
1	4,641 Hi	23,642	12,678 Lo		40,961 Lo
2	4,380	24,019	13,031		41,430
3	4,228	24,222	13,509		41,959
Holiday	4 7 00	00.			
5 Sunday	4,180	24,568	14,262		43,010
Sunday 7	3 ,7 99	24,712	15,004		43,515
8	3,378	24,298	14,927		42,603
9	2,967	24,458	15,343		42,748
10	2,709	24,914	16,184		43,807
11	2,379	25,149	17,110	,	44,638
12	2,218	25,507	17,538		45,263
Sunday 14	2,052	26,263	10 000		45.007
15	1,919	26,398 Hi	18,908 20,235		47,223 48,552
16	1,863	26,318	20,787	115 Lo	49,083
. 17	1,585	25,820	21,675	122	49,202
18	1,291	25,358	22,544	133	49,326
19	1,208	25,426	23,103	138	49,875
Sunday	7 005	0= =0=			
21 22	1,025	25,707	23,977	188	50,897
23	801 80	25,663 24,768	24,692 24,883	409 1,117	51,565 50,848
24	• 30	24,300	25,129	1,545	51,004
25	25	23,267	24,914	2,291	50,497
26	25	22,527	25,055	. 2,830	50,437
Sunday					
28	25	22,308	25,738	3,381	51,452
29 30	25	21,951	26,155	3,715	51,846
31	15 Lo	21,558 21,303 Lo	26,412 26,755 Hi	3,998 4,055 Hi	51,983 52,113 Hi
				-,000 111	00,120 112
Average	1 000	24 100	20. 402	7 67 -	10.550
July 1941	1,802	24,÷00	20,406	1,717	47,532
June 1941	9,751	22,752	7,464		39,966
July 1940	4,547	49,595	21,220	8 7 5	75 ,834

Table 4. WHEAT: Open contracts reported by clearing members, all futures combined, by markets, July 1941

***************************************	: Chicago	: Wirnsonalia	· Vanasa Cit:	Other	
Date	Board of Trade	Chamber of Commerce	Kansas City Board of Trade	contract markets	Total
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
3	40 003 1-	0.45%	1.0 01.0	0 440 11:	60.050
1 2	40,961 Lo	9,453	16,016	2,440 Hi	68,370
3	41,430 41,959	9,260 9,286	15,032 14,673	2,437 2,386	68,159 Lo 68,304
Holiday	000 و 41	J, 200	14,070	2,000	00 € 00.±
5	43,010	9,105	14,467	2,383	68,965
Sunday	,	,	,		,
7	43,515	8,866	14,219 Lo	2,358	68,958
8	42,603	8,642 Lo	14,649	2,270	68,164
9	42,748	9,120	15,130	2,306	69,304
10	43,807	9,025	15,473	2,298	70,603
11	44,638	9,188	15,101	2,341	71,568
12	45,263	9,233	15,206	2,345	72,047
Sunday					
14	47,223	. 9,211	15,169	2,368	73,971
15	48,552	9,082	15,165	2,384	75,183
16	49,083	9,065	15,681	2,398	76,227
1.7	49,202	9,104	16,015	2,312	76,633
18	49,326	9,144	16,138	2,309	76,917
19	49,875	9,255	16,151	2,302	77,583
Sunday	EO 907	0 507	15 057	0 771	70 720
21 22	50,897 51,565	9,587 9,484	15,953	2,331	78,763
23	50,848	9,273	15,829 15,910	2,337 2,347	79, 915
24	51,004	9,529	16,009	2,302	78,379 78,844
25	50,497	9,350	15,882	2,312	78,041
. 26	50,437	9,229	15,833	2,298	77,797
Sunday	00,107	0,555	20,000	2,500	11,101
28	51,452	9,291	15,873	2,262	78,873
29	51,846	9,440	16,062	2,306	79,654
30	51,983	9,852	16,263	2,302	80,±00
31	52,113 Hi	9,930 Hi	16,352 Hi	2,206 Lo	80,651 Hi
	·				
Average					
July 1941	47,532	9,271	15,560	2,332	74,695
June 1941	39,966	8,251	14,591	2,335	65,144
July 1940	75,834	10,777	20,275	2,399	109,284

Table 5. WHEAT: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1941

10+0C	••	1941 July future	future		.941 September	r future	: 1941	December	future
3	: High	: Low	: Cloring	: High	: Low	: Closing	: High	1	: Closing
July 1941	: Cents	Cents	Cents	: Cents	Cents	Cents	: Cents	Cents	Cents
	: 105	1		:106 1/2	104 1/2	0-	:108	106 1/8	1/4-3/
લ	: 104 3/8	103 3/4	104 1/8-1/4	:105 5/8	104 3/4	105 1/8-1/4	:107	106 1/8	106 1/2-5/8
3	7	5	104 1/4	:105 1/2		1/	:106 7/8	106	1/4-3/
Holiday	••			••			••		
2	: 104 1/4	103 1/4	103 3/8	:105	$104 \ 1/4$	104 1/4-3/8	:106 1/4	105 5/8	105 3/4-7/8
Sunday									
7	: 105 5/8	103 1/2	104 3/4		N	7	1/		107 5/8-3/4
œ		Hi 105 5/8	106 3/4-7/8		-	2	:109 3/4		109 1/8-1/4
6	: 106 3/4	105 1/8	105 1/8-1/4	:107 3/4	_	5	:109	107 7/8	107 7/6-08
01	: 106 3/4	104 3/4	105 1/8-1/4		105 1/4	106 5/8-3/4	:109 1/2	107 1/2	107 7/8-08
11	_	-	105 1/8-1/4	:107	~	3			108 1/8-1/4
12	: 105 1/2	104 3/4	104 7/8	:107 1/4	_	106 1/2-5/8	:108 5/8	107 3/4	7/8-
Sunday									
14	: 105	103 1/2	103 7/8-04	:107		105 1/2-5/8		107	107-07 1/8
15	: 103 7/8	3/	2	:105 5/8	104 1/2	105 1/2-5/8	:107 1/8	106 1/8	107-07 1/8
16	: 104	103 1/8		50		104 7/8-05		7	106 1/2-5/8
17	7	1	3/8	K.		103-03 1/8		~	104 7/8-05
13	3	(2)	2	~		103	106	7	104
19			3	:103 7/8	103 1/4	103 3/4-7/8	:105 7/8		105
Sunday	••			••					
12	1	1/2		:104	3/4	\vdash	:105	105	105 5/8-3/4
22	: 101 7/8	100 7/8	(-1	3	5	\circ	7,		106 1/8-1/4
23		53	102 7/8-03 1			104 3/4-7/8	:107 1/2	105 1/2	106 7/8-07
24	:1/	1/	1	٦	to	\vdash			107 7/8-08
25	1			S	-	\vdash	:108 1/2		107 3/4-08
26		1	-	الم	106	\vdash	:109 3/8		109 1/8-1/4
Sunday									
28	:		-	~		106 1/8-1/4	~	108 1	1/4-
53	:	-	1 :	:107 1/4	105 5/8	106 7/8-07	:109 1/8	107 3/4	108 3/4-7/8
30		1	-	53		106 1/2-5/8	2	~	1/2-
31				53		106	3		1/8-
): 104 1/4	103	103 5/8	:106 1/4	105	2/1 501	1	105 5/8	107 1/4
Net change (mo			- I I/4	••		+ 1/			3/
Highest price		July 8,	7	:108 1/2	- July 8, 1941	4]	12 6	y 28,	1941
Lowest price	: 73 -	February	8, 19	: 73 1/4	ary	13, 1941	: 96 1/2 -	May 31, 1941	41
1/ No trading	s on the last	st seven days	of the deliv	ery month.			-		

y 1941 future:1941 Sept. future	enos Aires	2	56	a Lo 57	٩	57 1/8	b 57 7/	i	57 5/8	я 56	b Hol	٥,	b 55	55 5/		2	7	, L	, ,	55 3/	H1 55 3/8		_	ಣ	54 3/4 Lo	55	55 1/8	1/4 = 55 1/8			a 55 1/	م	54.7/8	3 1/8	-1 3/8		700
markets, July : 1941 Oct. f	Winni	Cents	Holiday	3/65 1/2 8	66 1/8=	7	66 1/4=		67 3/4	7		1/4	3/	r _S		23)/	68 1/4=	2/1	1/3	69 3/4=	•	1/2	7	. = 89		67 3/4	67 1/4-		29-	/2=	1/	5/	4 1/4=	= -		
c and foreign	: Duluth 1/	Cents	92 p	92 b	91 5/8 a	Holiday	91 3/8 b	-	/8 8	. م	3/4	95 1/8 b	2/8	5/		2/8	93 3/8 b	1/4	١ /	1/4			5/	1/8		95 b	95 b	95 1/2 a		93 5/8 b	95 %	94 1/2 b	7	3/4	+1 1/2		CC
at principal domestic		Cents	1/	. 97 5/8	7	Holiday	96 1/4	1	98 5/8	2	3/8	7	3/8-1/			98 1/8		98 1/4-1/8	<u> </u>	<u>`</u> _	96 5/8		3/		98 1/4-1/8		. 66	100 1/8		2	99 1/2	3	3/	1	+ 3/8		7 - 2
closing prices	olis	Cents	99 5/8	99 7/8	99 1/2	Holiday	99 1/8	Ī	101 3/8	7	겁	2	7	r-1		99 5/8 a		99 5/8)	ì ~				98 7/8	99 5/8		101 1/4			7	101 3/8=	7		5	+ 3/8		7/1
le 6. Whaar: Daily	: Chicago	Cents	104 7/8-05	105 1/8-1/4	105-05 1/8	Holiday			106 1/8-1/4	107 7/8-08 Hi	5/8-3/	106 5/8-3/4	3/4-7/	1/2-5/		105 1/2-5/8	105 1/2-5/8	104 7/8-05	103-03 1/8	103	103 3/4-7/8		103 1/2-5/8	104-04 1/8	104 3/4-7/8	106 1/8-1/4		107 1/4-3/8		106 1/8-1/4	106 7/8-07	106 1/2-5/8	106	5	mo.)+ 1/4	(over C	(Indan Chicago
Table	Date	July 1941	1	8	23	4.	Ω.	Sunday	2	ω	ത	10	11	12	Sunday	14	15	16	17	18	19	Sunday	21	22	23	24	25	26	Sunday	28	53	30	31	Range (mo.)	\sim	Average spread	

1 Durum.

3 Trading opened in October future July 2, 1941; minimum price fixed at 70¢ per bu. Canadian funds.

4 Exchange rate not available.

Table 7. CORN: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1941

		* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *			
	:	Fut	ure	:	
Date	July	September		May :	All futures
1941	1,600	1,000	1,000	1,000	3,000
July	bushels	oushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
					enamentary manager and
1	843	901	419		2,163
2	883 Hi	928	556		2,167
3	507	567	250		1,324
Holiday					
5	101	334	115 I.o		550
Sunday	3.00	T.00	<i>***</i>		
7	1.63	568	394		1,125
8	476	1,345 Hi	1,256		3,057 Hi
9	53	968	868		1,889
10 11	72	1,311	1,249 Hi		2,632
12	13 7 25	1,065 140 Lo	8 7 3 339		2,075
Sunday	20	740 110	509		504 Lo
14	21 Lo	350	369		740
15	231	545	532		1,308
16	125	580	451		1,156
17	183	891	429		1,503
18	229	706	524		1,459
19	24	323	368		71.5
Sunday					1 3.0
21	108	458	487		1,053
22	79	513	467		1,064
23	202	531	600	5 Lo	1,338
24	1/	546	717	7	1,270
25		663	566	28	1,257
26		826	516	57	1,399
Sunday					
28		438	675	186	1,299
29		683	512	215 Hi	1,412
30		797	507	208	1,512
31	-	466	567	135	968
Total					
July 1941	4,462	17,450	14,186	841	36,939
June 1941	16,858	25,272	12,032		52,172
July 1940	11,838	58,814	56,787	2,360	89,799
1/ No trading on	the last sov	ren days of t	the delivery n	month.	

Table 8. CORN: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets, July 1941

	Chicago	Kansas City	Minneapolis	Other	
Date	Board of	Board of	Chamber of	contract	Total
	Trade	Trade	Commerce	markets	
	: 	<u> </u>	<u>: </u>		
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
_					
1	2,163	43 Hi	17	14	2,237
2	2,167	12	11	8	2,198
3	1,324	20	20	3	1,367
Holiday	550	,	2.0	,	500
5	550	1	10	1	562
Sunday	2 205	3.0	2.2	2	
7	1,125	10	11	6	1,152
8	3,057 Hi	1	7	32 Hi	3,097 Hi
9	1,889	***	34 Hi	3	1,926
10	2,632		5	6	2,643
11	2,075	5	13	2	2,095
12	504 Lo		28		532 Lo
Sunday					
14	740	400 HL3 400	15	2	757
15	1,308		8	1	1,317
16	1,156		3	2	1,161
17	1,503		24		1,527
18	1,459	100 told 100	4	6	1,469
19	715	*** ***	7	Lo	722
Sunday				_	
. 21	1,053		8	5	1,066
22	1,064	43 kg 46	3	3	1,070
23	1,338	5	4	2	1,349
24	1,270		5	12	1,287
25	1,257	13	12	17	1,299
26	1,399	NB 400 NS	7	13	1,419
Sunday					
28	1,299		9	6	1,314
29	1,412		4	12	1,428
30	1,512	100 M2 M2	8	6	1,526
31	968	Lo	l Lo	10	979
Total	70 070	110	000.	170	77 400
July 1941	36,939	110	273 .	172	37,499
T 3.043	E0 350	770	E00 :	955	FV 007
June 1941	52,172	332	502 '	277	53,283
T1 3.0.10	00 700	0.05	.t 7.P	1 100	00 717
July 1940	89,799	885	437	1,192	92,313

Table 9. CORN: Open contracts reported by clearing members, Chicago Board of Trade,
July 1941

:		Futn	re		
Date	July	September :	December :	May	All futures
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
1.	1,722 Hi	12,985	4,824 Lo		19,531
2	1,506	13,090	4,910		19,506
3	1,275	13,245	4,976		19,496
Holiday					
5	1,101	13,240	5 , 034		19,375 Lo
Sunday	3 000	1.7.000	5 00 0		3.0. 550
7 8	1,062	13,288	5,228		19,578
9	1,141 972	13,394 Hi 13,229	5,780		20,315 20,148
10	946	13,059	5,94 7 6,603		20,608
11	815	12,675	7,047		20,537
12	774	12,639	7,202		20,615
Sunday		,	,,252		
14	7 58	12,622	7,286		20,666
15	696	12,447	7,347		20,490
16	660	12,372	7, 470		20,502
17	4.97	12,169	7,582		20,248
18	364	12,189	7,790		20,343
19	313	12,192	7,969		20,474
Sunday	0.5.0	10 194	0.100		80 500
21 22	25 7 222	12,174	8,167		20,598
23	91	12,164 12,067	8,354	E T.	20,740
24	80	12,007	8,628 8,932	5 Lo 12	20,791
25	55	12,101	8,994	38	21,188
26	~~~	12,183	9,129	31	21,393
Sunday				V.	22,000
28	*** *** ***	12,128	9,385	204	21,717 Hi
29		11,758	9,442	277	21,477
30		11,543	9,474	400	21,417
31	Lo	11,491 Lo	9,520 Hi	473 Hi	21,484
		annones es es es es en			-
Average July 1941	589	12,479	7,424	186	20,549
June 1941	6,258	11,426	2,690		20,374
July_1940	1,766	13,615	6,160	326	21,691

Table 10. CORN: Open contracts reported by clearing members, all futures combined, by markets,

July 1941

	· Chicago	Kansas City	Minneapolis :	Other	
Date .	Board of	Board of	Chamber of	contract	Total
	Trade	Trade	Commerce	markets	
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
ouly	Dustiers	Dublicas	00011010	5431613	DUSTICIS
1	19,531	67	145	77	19,820
2	19,506	63	142 Lo	75	19,786
3	19,496	73 Hi	144	75	19,788
Holiday					
. 5	19,375 Lo	68	152	75	19,670 Lo
Sunday					
7	19,578	68	151 .	75 Lo	19,872
8	20,315	68	154	85	20,622
9	20,148	68	157	86	20,459
10	20,608	68	157	81	20,914
11	20,537	63	162	82	20,844
12	20,615	63	176	82	20,936
Sunday	00.000	0.5	3.54	0.3	00.004
14	20,666	63	174	81	20,984
15	20,490	63	175	81	20,809
16	20,502	63	176 Hi	81	20,822
17	20,248	63	152	81	20,544
,18	20,343	63	152	81	20,639
19	20,474	63	152	81	20,770
Sunday 21	20,598	63	153	83	20,897
22	20,530	63	153	80	21,036
.23	20,791	66	152	79	21,088
24	21,029	56	152	81	21,328
25	21,188	57	149	86	21,480
26	21,393	57	149	87	21,686
Sunday	31,000	Q I	ata 1/4. U		22,000
28	21,717 Hi	57	149	87 Hi	22,010 Hi
29	21,477	57	145	84	21,763
30	21,417	57	144	79	21,697
31	21,484	57 Lo	143	78	21,762
<u>-</u>	,				,
Average					
July 1941	20,549	63	154	81	20,847
June 1941	20,374	204	149	62	20,790
July 1940	21,691	557	4.17	127	22,822

Table 11. CORN: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1941

-		1941 July future	future	19	1941 September	future	1941	1 December	. future
D 287	High	: Low	: Closing	. High	Low	: Closing	High	3	
July 1941	: Cents	Cents	Cents	: Cents	Cents	Cents	: Cents	Cents	
	. 74	1		: 76 3/8	5 3/4	7/8	: 78 1/4	77 3/8	5/8
2	: 73 7/8	73 3/8	73 3/8-1/2	: 76 1/8	75 3/4	~	: 77 7/8	77 1/2	77 3/4
53	: 73 3/8	7		: 75 7/8	5 5/	2	: 77 7/8	77 5/8	77 5/8
Holiday	••			••			••		
വ	: 73 1/2	73 1/4	73 1/4. b	: 75 3/4	75 5/8	75 5/8 b	: 77 5/8	77 1/2	77 1/2-5/8
Sunday						•			
7	: 73 7/8	73 3/8	3/	6 1/	5 5/	1/	: 78,1/4	15	1/
ത	: 74 3/4 Hi	74	_	2/8	6 1/	1/		7	7
σ	: 74 1/8	74	1/	2	6 1/		: 79	_	1/
10	: 74 1/8	73 5/8	73 5/8	: 76 3/8	75 1/2	_	: 79 1/4 Hi	78	78 3/8
11	: 75 3/4	1/	3 1/	5 3/	5 1/	1/2	: 78 1/2	_	3/
12	: 73 3/4	73 1/2	73 5/8 b	3/	5 5/	5/	5/	W	78 3/8-1/2
Sunday									
14	: 73 1/2	73 1/8	73 1/2 b	ιΩ	75 1/8	1/	57		78 1/8
15	: 73 7/8	73 1/4	73 1/4b-5/8a	_	75	3/8	: 78 1/8		78 a
16	: 73 1/2	73 3/8	73 1/2 b	ιΩ	3/	75 1/2	7		1
17	: 73 1/2	7	1/	S	74 7/8	-	: 77 7/8	77 5/8	77 5/8
18	: 73 1/4	72 3/4 .	72 7/8 b	5 1	3	74 7/8	33		5
19	: 73 1/8	72 3/4	73 a	1-1	75	75 b	7	77 5/8	5
Sunday				••			••		
27	: 73	N	72 3/4	: 75	1/	3/	1/	rH	H
22	: 72 3/4	5	72 5/8	: 75		2	3	77 1/2	. 77 5/8
23	: 73 1/8	72 5/8 L	Lo 73-73 1/8	: 75 1/8	74 1/2 Lo	75 1/	: 77 3/4	77 1/8 Lo	77 1/
24	:1/	1/	1/		75	3	1	Н	78
25	1			: 75 3/4			7	78	-78 1/
58			-		7	76-76 1/8	: 79	77 7/8	78 1/2-5/8
Sunday	••						••		
882	:		-	3	Ŋ		: 79	8/2 84	78 5/8
හැ			-	_	٦	3		~	7
30	:	-	!	: 75 3/8	74 3/4		: 78 1/8	2/2 2/	2/8
31			1	_	~	7		52	1/
Average (mo.)	: 75 5/8	73 1/4	73 3/8	€.D	$75\ 1/4$	75 1/2	: 78 1/4	77 3/4	
Net change (mo	(• .	- 5/8	••		-1 1/4	•		- 5/8
Highest price:	75.1/4 -	June 23, 1	1941	1/	19	41	1/4 -	e 23,	1941
Lowest price	: 58 - Septe	September 20,	1940	: 58 1/8 -	February 18	, 1941	: 73 1/2 - 1	May 23, 1941	41
1/ No trading	on the last	seven	days of the delivery	y month.					
1		; ; ; ;							

Table 12. CORN: Daily closing prices, Chicago,
Kansas City and Minneapolis
July 1941

Doto		1941 September future	1
Date	Chicago	Kansas City	Minneapolis
1941	Cents	Cents	Cents
July .			
1	75 7/8	70	69 1/8 b
2	75 3/4-7/8	70 1/4 a	68 3/4
3	75 5/8-3/4	70 1/8	68 3/4 b
Holiday	85 5 lo 3	80.2/4	22 5/2
5	75 5/8 b	70 1/4	68 5/8
Sunday	76 1/0 -	70 7/0	60 = 10
7 8	76 1/8 a 76 1/2 Hi	70 3/8 70 7/3 Hi	69 5/8 69 5/8 Hi
9	76 1/8 H1 76 1/8-1/4	70 1/2	69 1/4 a.
10	75 5/8	70 1/4	68 7/8 b
11	75 1/2 b	69 3/4 e	68 5/8 b
12	75 5/8 b	69 3/4 n	68 3/4 b
Sunday	. 5 5/5 5		00 0/ 1 0
14	75 1/2 a	69 1/2	68 3/4
15	75 3/8 a	69 1/2	68 3/8 b
16	75 1/2	69 1/2 a	68 1/2 b
17	75	69 3/8 a	68 1/8
18	74 7/8	69 a	67 3/4 a Lo
19	75 b	69 n	68 Ъ
Sunday			
21	74 3/4 Lo	68 7/8 a	67 7/8 b
32	74 7/8	68 7/8 a	67 7/8 a
23	75 1/8	68 7/8 a	68 1/8 b
24	75 3/8-1/2	68 7/8 n	68 3/4
25	75 1/2	68 3/4	68 7/8 b
26	76-76 1/8	68 3/4 b	69 3/8 ъ
Sunday	75 5 /O 3-	60 7/1	co 3/0
28	75 5/8 b	68 3/4 n	69 1/8
29	75 3/8	68 3/4 n	69 a
30	75 1/8 74 7/8-75	68 3/4 n 68 3/4 n Lo	68 1/4 a :'
31	14 1/0-10	00 c/4 II 10	68 1/4 n
Range (mo.)	1 3/4	2 1/8	1 7/8
Net change (mo.)	-1 1/4	-1 1/2	- 7/8
verage spread(01	ver Chicago		0.070
(ur	nder Chicago	6	6 7/8

Table 13. OATS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets, July 1941

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis	Other contract markets	Total
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
- U				
1	929	275	21	1,225
2 .	894	317 Hi		1,211
3	363 Lo	207	700 MM 700	570 Lo
Holiday				
5	439	192		631
Sunday				
7	639	286	15	940
8	1,081	123	7	1,211
9	720	129	9	858
10	1,185	152	27 Hi	1,364
11	880	246	5	1,131
12	568	96 Lo	5	669
Sunday				
14	1,146	269		1,415
15	1,741	218	5	1,964
16	1,363	221	**************************************	1,584
17	1,051	260	13	1,324
18	1,051	212	2	1,265
19	864	220	6 .	1,090
Sunday				- ,
21	912	299	5 .	1,216
22	827	287	7	1,121
23	881	252	10 .	1,143
24	1,103	209	25	1,337
25	1,114	194	14	1,322
26	1,812 Hi	151	2 .	1,965 Hi
Sunday				
28	1,458	291	Ą.	1,753
29	1,267	110	. 25	1,402
30	1,366	238	can fill con	1,604
31	\$98	239	Lo	1,237
Total				-
July 1941	26,652	5,693	207	32,552
1 1012	2			
June 1941	17,515	3,699	25	21,239
July 1940	17 G74	3 224	60	01 707
- OUT A 1 2 4 0	17,974	3,284	- 69	21,327

Table 14. OATS: Open contracts reported by clearing members, all futures combined, by markets, July 1941

	: Chicago	Minneapolis :	Other	
Date	Board of	Chamber of	contract	Total
Davo	Trade	Commerce	markets	
	: : :	:		
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
_				
1	7,460	1,460 Lo	26	8,946
2	7,346 Lo	1,505	26	8,877 Lo
3	7,418	1,545	26	8,989
Holiday	a>		00 "	0.746
5	7 , 550	1,566	26 Lo	9,142
Sunday		3		2 -22
7	7,800	1,464	36	9,300
8	7,848	1,504	39	9,391
9	7,950	1,529	48	9,527
10	8,218	1,520	55	9,793
11	8,356	1,565	60	9,991
12	8,502	1,601	55	10,158
Sunday				
14	8 , 735	1,712	55	10,502
15	9,045	1,772	50	10,867
16 ·	9 , 376	1,734	50	11,160
17	9,371	1,746	57	11,174
18	9,437	1 ,7 59	59	11,255
19	9,418	1 ,7 33	59	11,210
Sunday				
21	9,810	1,686	62	11,558
22	10,066	1,699	67	11,832
23 ·	10,114	1,727	77	11,918
24 ·	10,451	1,752	77	12,280
25 ·	10,788	1,791	89 Hi	12,668
26	11,156	1,796	87	13,039
Sunday				
28	11,461	1,807	87	13,355
29	11,884	1,799	72	13,755
30	12,088	1,825	72	13,985
31	12,402 Hi	1,850 Hi	72	14,324 Hi
Average				
July 1941	9,387	1,671	57	11,115
June 1941	7,616	1,270	21	8,908
oune 1341	1 9 OT O	1 0 10	ωı	0,000
July 1940	8,292	1,270	61	9,623

Table 15. OATS: Daily closing prices, Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg, July 1941

: Date	1941 S ep	tember future :	: 1941 October future
: e	Chicago (New)	Minneapolis	Winnipeg
1941	Cents	Cents	Cents 1/
July			»
1	38 b	34 3/4	Holiday
2	38	34 b	31 1/8
3	37 7/8 a.	33 5/8	31 1/8 b Lo
4	Holiday	Holiday	2/
5	37 1/2	33 1/2	2/ 31 3/8= a
Sunday			
7	38 a	34	31 3/8= b
8	38 5/8-3/4	34 5/8 a	32 1/8=
9	38 1/4 b	34 1/2	32 b
10	38 1/2	34 1/2 34 3/8	32 a
11 12	38 1/4 b 38 a	34 1/8	32= a 32 1/4=
Sunday	20 st	34 1/0	32 1/ 4 -
14	37 3/8 b	33 1/4 b	31 1/2= a
15	36 3/4-7/8	33	31 7/8 a
16	36 1/2 b	32 3/4	31 1/2= b
17	36 b	31 7/8	31 7/8= b
18	35 1/2 b	31 1/2 Lo	32 1/4-1/8=
19	35 1/2 b	31 5/8	32 1/4=
Sunday	- 1	,	,
21	35 3/3 b Lo	31 3/4	32 7/8 b
22	36 2	32	327/8 = a
23	36 1/2 77 1/2	32 1/2	32 5/8= b
24 25	37 1/2 a 37 3/4 b	73 1/2 33 3/4	33 1/4 32 3/4=
26	38 3/4 b Hi	34 7/8 a Hi	33 1/8= b
Sunday	00 0/1 0 111	04 1/0 A III	00 2/02 0
28	38 1/8 b	34	$33 \ 1/4 = a$
29	38 5/8 b	34 3/4 a	34 1/4 a
30	38 1/8 a	34 a	34 1/4 = a Hi
31	37 7/8 a	33 3/4	33 3/8 b
Range (mo.)	3 3/8	3 3/8	3 1/8=
Net change (mo.)	-1 3/8	-1 1/2	+1 3/8
Average spread (ove	er Chicago		
1/ See table 24 fo	der Chicago	4	

 $[\]frac{1}{2}$ See table 24 for daily exchange rates. Exchange rate not available.

Table 16. RYE, BARLEY and FLAXSEED: Volume of trading, all futures combined,
Chicago and Minneapolis
July 1941

1	RYE	BARLEY	FLAXSEED
g: .	1		
Chicago	: Minneapolis	Minneabolis	Minneapolis
1,000	1,000	1,000	1,00 0
bushels	bushels	bushels	Lushels
468	107	15	97
		:	: 62
		•	: 59
~~=		•	:
203	95		: 46
		•	:
313	120	0 0 0	: 78
		: 14	: 68
			: 76
			: 63
			: 43 Lo
			: 77
100 10	120	e e	:
368	817 Hi	:	: 69
		:	98
		•	91
		:	85
		:	90
		: 7	50
200	77.1	:	:
420	200	: 7	: 191
			: 242 Hi
		•	158
		:	103
		;	148
		•	74
2, 131	<i>ડઠા</i>	. 10	:
7 75/ 14	EOR	: 15	: 70
			78
		:	148
		:	74
872	3.34	: ,10	: 8€
		•	:
23,706	5,684	: 102	2,454
16,438	4,538	: 71	2,040
		:	: 1,288
	Chicago 1,000 bushels 468 462 221 203 313 1,196 484 765 368 132 Lo 368 546 292 622 451 256 429 430 669 571 1,095 2,797 3,754 Hi 3,503 2,439 872	1,000 bushels bushels 468 107 462 113 221 154 203 95 313 120 1,196 136 484 176 765 194 368 97 132 Lo 126 368 817 Hi 546 179 292 142 622 159 451 100 256 117 429 200 430 89 Lo 669 189 571 109 1,095 319 2,797 327 3,754 Hi 525 3,503 447 2,439 313 872 334 23,706 5,684 16,438 4,538	Chicago Minneapolis Minneapolis 1,000 1,000 1,000 bushels bushels bushels 468 107 15 462 113 221 154 203 95 313 120 1,196 136 14 484 176 21 Hi 765 194 368 97 368 97 368 817 Hi 546 179 292 142 622 159 451 100 256 117 3 429 200 3 430 89 Lo 1 669 189 7 571 109 1,095 319 1 2,439 <t< td=""></t<>

Table 17. RYE, BARLEY, and FLAXSEED: Open contracts reported by clearing members, all futures combined, Chicago and Minneapolis

July 1941

:	RYE		BARLEY	PLAKSEED
Date	Chicago	Minneapolis	Minneapolis	Minneapolis
1941 :	1,000	1,000	1,000	: 1,000
July :	. bushels	bushels	: bushels	: bushels
:			•	•
1 :	12,338	1,794		: 1,300
2 :	12,174	1,806	35	: 1,273 Lo
3 :	12,180	1,835	: 35	: 1,276
Holiday :	10 100	1 050	:	1 0.04
5 :	12,186	1,850	: 35	: 1,294
Sunday :	12,229	1,864	: : 35 Lo	: : 1,303
8 :	12,156	1,861	: 49	: 1,320
9 :	12,171	1,846	: 62	: 1,347
10 :	12,020	1,785	. 58	: 1,367
11 :	12,003 Lo	1,715	48	1,385
12 :	12,026	1,709	48	: 1,387
Sunday :	,		•	:
14 :	12,129	1,731	48	: 1,395
15 :	12,100	1,719	. 48	1,434
16 :	12,100	1,682 Lo	. 48	1,484
17 :	12,139	1,700	48	: 1,520
18 :	12,154	1,703	: 48	: 1,536
19 :	12,208	1,700	: 51	: 1,545
Sunday :		:	:	:
21 :	12,236	1,693		: 1,612
22 :	12,250	1,708		: 1,708
23 :	12,120	1,739	•	: 1,754
24 :	12,132	1,753	: 48	: 1,771
25 :	12,114	1,822	: 48	: 1,324
26 :	12,317	1,876	: 62	: 1,840
Sunday :	3.0 (23.0	3 055 771	:	:
28 :	12,719	1,957 Hi	: 75	: 1,858
29 :	12,942	1,946	: 76	: 1,879
30 : 31 :	13,099	1,905	: 76	1,879
:	13,161 Hi	1,953	: 76 Hi	: _l,388 Fi :
Average : July 1941 :	12,285	1,794	: : 52	:
oury roar :	12,200	19152	:	: 1,545 :
June 1941 :	12,197	1,934	40	1,166
July 1940	15,669	2,843	: : 203	1,109

Daily closing prices at Chicago, Minneapolis and Winniveg, July 1941 RYE, BARLEY and FLAXSTTD: Table 18.

		CALL CA				1	CHILDA
	!	- 1			7		S.B. D
Date :	1941 Sept	pt. future	1941 Oct future	Sept. future	: Oct. future	: Sept. future	: Oct. future
	Chicago (new): This. (new)	. Winnipeg	Minnegoolis	: Winnipeg	: Minnerpolis	Minnipeg
July 1941:	.13	Cents	Cents 1/ :	Cents	Cents 1/	: Cents	Cents 1/
	57 3/8 a	1/2	Holiday .	1/4	Holiday		Holiday
	m	2	48= a	43 3/4 a	40 3/8=	. 194	
	57 3/8	1/2	48 =	1/4			3/4=
	Holiasy	187	. /2	Lidey		: Folias	5/2
 Ω		Lo 51 7/8	48= b I.o :	63	40 5/8	: 190 1/2	134 1/2=-35
Sunday:			••			••	
~	58 1/8 5		49 b	41 1/2 e.	40 7/3= a	191	34 5
ω		1	50 1/2 a Hi:	1/2	1/4	: 194	136 3/8 b
0)	Street Street	52 1/4	50 a.		41 1/8 3	190	135 3/8=
10	5/8	2/2	50 1/4= b :	42 0		89 1	133= 3
11 ::	3	3	50=	42 n	بہ	90 1	33 7/8
13	5/8	1/	49 7/3	42 n	41 5/8= 0	: 191 1/4	33 1/2=
Sunday:							
14	1/	3/	200	423 n	-	1/	1/4
15 :	53 1/8 b	3/4	 -	,	5/8=	: 187 1/2	(I)
1.6	ටිපි ක	52 5/8	12=	42 0	n)		132 1/3
1.7		7	5/8	1/	11	: 187	7
13	1/	5/3	53	2/2	42 5/8= b	1/	7
: 61	1/2	3	م, ۔ ۱۱	1/2	43 1	: 185 1/2	
Sunday:			••	-	•		
21 .:	57 1/8 b	53	7	40 1/2 b	43 1/4 b	: 184 5/4	135 7/8-136=
22 :	1/4	7/4	3/8	· 0	- 11		
23	1/	,	7		120	182	5/8=
34	_	52 1/2 %	48 5/8=	1/4 0		: 181 1/2 Lo	131 1/4
25 :	59 1/4 a	7	1/4	1/2	50		$131 \ 1/4 = a$
36 :	63 1/8	7	48 1/2 b		7	: 183 1/2	128 5/8-1/2=
Sunday:			••				
	63 3/8 b	5	40 1/4	41 3/4 a	43 5/8=-43 3/4=	: 185 1/4	127 1/8-1/4
: 62	2/8	Hi 59 5/8 Hi		1/2	م	: 188 1/	129
30 :	1/4	2	2	3	43 3/4 b		~
31 :		56	48 1/8=	3/4	42 3/8= b	: 191	2
Range (mo.)	8 7/8	8 7/8	2 3/8=	4 1/4	3 5/8=	: 13 1/2	9 5/8
Net change (mo)		+5 5/8	2/4	-3 3/4	+5	: - 4 3/4	- 7
2	29 1/	53 5/8	49	41 3/4	42.1/8	: 138 1/4	132 1/4
1/ See table	24 for	Ly exchange rates	· 0				
_	rate not ava	ilable.					
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Table 19. SOYPEANS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade,
July 1941

	:	Futor	`e		ter hijerteen een approximate sammen een eenmaante.
Date	: July :	October /:	Lecember :	May :	All futures
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000 -	. 1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
1	631 .	3,328	1,149		5,108
. 2	398	2,871	966		4,235
3	334	1,808	607		2,749
Holiday	147	005 7.0	304 Lo		1 476 10
5 Sunday	147	985 Lo	204 TO		1,436 Lo
7	458 .	3,546 Hi	1,507		5,511
. 8	732 Hi	3,247	1,534		5,513 Hi
9	498	2,637	1,614 Hi		4,749
10 11	355 2 7 5	3,253 2,970	1,470 ' 1,318		5,078
12	203	2,113	1,015		4,563 3,331
Sunday	~ ~ ~	- , -			0,002
. 14	185	2,093	890		3,168
15	201	2,306	997		3,504
16	174	1,847	900		2,921
17 18	148 147	2,534 1,496	1,287 ⁻ 904		3,969 2,547
. 19	92 Lo	1,837	7 83		2,712
Sunday					
21	255.	1,726	709		2,690
22	338.	1,330	746		2,414
23 24	506.	2,601 2,259	1,411 994		4,518 3,253
25	2/	1,991	1,190		3,181
26		1,836	1,089		2,925
Sund ay					
28		1,311	940		2,251
29	40 00 00	1,202	369	177 1.	2,071
30 31		1,779 _. 1,200 _.	1,298 711	133 Lo 259 Hi	3,210 2,170
				200 111	2,270
Total	C 077	F.C. 1.0.2	07 000		00 855
July 1941	6,077	56,106	27,202	392	89,777
June 1941	33,468	67,688	16,752		117,908
July 1940	931	976	500	40 40 40	2,407
1/ "Old" end	"New" coubined.				

^{1/ &}quot;Old" and "New" combined.

^{2/} No trading on the last seven days of the delivery month.

Table 20. SOYBEANS: Open contracts reported by clearing members, Chicago Board of Trade,

July 1941

:		Futu		:	
Date	July :	October 1		May	All futures
1941	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
					
1	2,779 Hi	7,094	2,321 Lo		12,194 Hi
. 2	2,657	7,070	2,326		12,053
3	2,521	7,003	2,353		11,877
Holiday	2 556	6 076 I a	2 7 02		11 024
5 Sunday	2,556	6,976 Lo	2,392		11,924
7	2,506	7,193	2,466		12,165
8	2,496	7,081	2,373		11,950
9	1,977	7,010	2,467		11,454
10	1,528	7,341	2,482		11,351
11	1,413	7,359	2,579		11,351
12	1,325	7,402	2,545		11,272 Lo
Sunday					
14	1,289	7,656	2,723		11,668
15	1,197	7,589	2,817		11,603
16	1,102	7,596	2,748		11,446
17	994	7,546	2,882		11,422
18	949	7,651	2,989		11,589
19	845	7,664	2,961		11,470
Sunday	207	F 00F	7 001		11 AGO
21	691	7,697	3,091		11,479
22	4.85 1.91	7,759	3,179		11,423 11,340
23 24	181	7,987 8,095 Hi	3,162 3,161		11,437
25	181	8,055	3,303		11,539
26	149	8,083	3,359		11,591
Sunday		,	9,0 00		,
28	123	8,014	3,442		11,579
29	117	7,958	3,441		11,516
30	66	7,961	3,452 Hi	93 Lo	11,572
31	Lo	7,859	3,376	186 Hi	11,421
Average					
July 1941	1,166	7,565	2,861	140	11,603
7.047	4 035	C E00	7 97 9		11 001
June 1941	4,015	6,588	1,218		11,821
July 1940	417	1,091	282	in 10 to	1,790
1/ "Old" and "New			CONTRACTOR		
	OOMD III OU				

			1		1		1,01	-	
Date		1941 July Inture	uture	뒓	Cccoper inture	- 1	1351	er	iuture
	High	: Low	: Closing		Low	Closing:	- 1	Low :	Closing
July 1941 :	Cents	Cents	Conts		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
	146 1/4	141 7/8 L	0 142		134	3/4-	140 7/8	135 1/2	136 1/4-3/8
cs.	145	142 1/2	144	0:	133 1/2 Lo	134 3/4-7	138	135 Lo	136 1/8-1/4
ເວ	146 3/8	144 5/3	146 1/4	CO	134 3/4	3/8-1/	137 7/8	136 1/8	~
Holiday:									
2	146 7/8	145 1/4	146 1/2	: 137 3/4	135 3/8	137 1/2-3/4	138 3/4	136 3/4	138 5/8
Sunday :									
~	152 1/2	149 1/4		: 142 7/	139 1/8	7/8-	<u>v-</u>	140 1/2	1.43-43 1/4
ω	156	153 1/8	7	: 146 1/2 Hi		1/3-	7	•	146 5/8-3/4
6	154 7/8	152 1/4	1/2	: 145 3/	142 5/8	3/4-	146 5/8		143 7/8-44
10	2	147 1/4	3	: 144		1/8-	-		140 1/4-5/8
11	150 1/4	, ,	150	(C)	137 3/8	140 1/3-5/8	50	138 3/8	141 5/8-3/
12 ::	153 1/2	150 1/4	151	: 143 1/4	140 1/2	1/4	144 3/8		142 1/8-1/
Sunday :									
14	152	150 5/8	151	: 145	140 1/4	141-41 1/4	53	(2)	142 1/8-3/
15 ::	152	٦	151 3/4		139 3/8	3/8-1	1/	140 1/2	143-43 1/4
16 :	7	150 1/4	150 1/4		r=1	1/8-1	3/	•	141-41 1/8
17 :	2	147	147 1/4			5/8-3	C3	138	
16		147 1/2	150 3/4 b			1/8-1	140-1/4	5	
19	3			: 141 1/4	139 3/8	141 1/6-1/4	14.2	1.40 5/8	141 3/4-42
Sunday :			-	 • ••		•			
27	154 1/2	152 1/2	152 3/4	: 142 1/4	138 3/4		142 1/2	7	141 1/4-3/
32	154	153			~	3		٦ (140 3/4-7/
23	156 1/8 1	Hi 151	1/2	: 139 1/4	155 1/2	3	140.1/4	136 1/2	157 1/2-38
24	1/	1/			3	7/7		3/	139-39 1/8
35	1	1	1	: 140	3	139-39 1/8		17	139 1/4-5/
: 98	1	!	1	: 142	53	7/8-		3/	41
Sunday :									
: 88	1 2 3	!!!	.].	~	141 1/8	141 1/4	7	1	7
: 62	!	1.	. 1	H			3/	2	2
30 :	!	!!!	1 1	: 140 3/4		-39 1	~	7	7
31		0.000 0.00	1 1	5/	138 1/2		139 7/8	138 5/8	12
Average (mo.):	151 5/8	148 3/4	150 1/8	: 141 1/8	138 3/8	139 5/8	12	3/	140 1/2
Net change (no)			+ 8 1/2	••		+ 1 1/2			3/
Highest price:	156 1/2	- June 27, 1		: 149 - June	27, 1		50 1/4 -	June 27, 1941	41
Lowest price :	85 1/4 -	- December 2	23, 1940	: 98 - March	h 31, 1941		: 121 1/4 -	June 6, 1941	
1/ No trading on the	on the last	st seven days of the	s of the delivery	y month.					

Table 22. ALL GRAINS: Volume of trading on all contract markets, July 1941

Market	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flaxseed	Soybeans
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,600	1,000	1,000	1,000
	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
Chicago Bd. of T.	340,540	36 , 939	26,652	23,706			89,777
Chicago Open Bd.	8,484	164	58	104			2,118
Minneapolis	50,842	278	5,693	5,684	102	2,454	
Kansas City	52,52 6	110	70				
Duluth	3,559						
St. Louis			an 10 mil	-~-	-		
Milwaukee	258	8	79	132		~	
Seattle	360						
Portland	===						
San Francisco							-~-
Los Angeles			an 400				
Total, all markets July 1941	456,56 9	37,499	32,552	29,626	1.02	2,454	91,895
June 1941	503,537	53,283	21,239	21,109	71	2,040	119,560
July 1940	495,164	92,313	21,327	19,050	187	1,288	2,407

Table 23. ALL GRAINS: Cpen contracts on all contract markets, close of last trading day,

July 1941

•		<u></u>	:	:	:	•	
Market	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flaxseed	
•	1,000 bushels						
Chicago Bd. of T.	52,113	21,484	12,402	13,161			11,421
Chicago Open Bd.	388	65	16	35			124
Minneapolis	9,980	143	1,850	1,953	76	1,888	400 400 400
Kansas City	16,352	57	44		··· ·· ··		
Duluth	1,412	top cap top			*12* day 64\$	***	
St. Louis						*** ***	·
Milwaukee	69	13	12	99			
Seattle	327				400 May		
Portland	10	600 Art 100	NO 1-1 NO				
San Francisco			re 100 100	48 48 49	~		
Los Angeles				***			
Total, all markets July 1941	80,651	21,762	14,324	15,248	76	1,838	11,545
June 1941	67,897	20,953	9,130	14,190	38	1,299	12,752
July 1940 1/ Not available.	115,076	22,506	10,551	19,267	224	1,613	1/

ALL GRAIMS: Value of open contracts on all contract markets, close of last trading day, July 1941 Table 23A.

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Table 24. Rate of exchange, English and Canadian currencies,
July 1941

Date	Pound sterling	: Canadian currency :
	: Last quotation 1/	: Closing quotation 1/
1941	Dollars	Percent
July		
1	4.03 1/2	11 5/8 Discount
2	4.03 1/2	11 5/8 "
3	4.03 1/2	11 5/8 "
4	2/	2/
5	$4.0\overline{3} 1/2$	11 5/8 Discount
Sunday		· ·
7	4.03 1/2	11 11/16 Discount
8	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 "
9	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 "
10	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 "
11	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 "
12	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 "
Sunday	·	·
14	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 Discount
15	4.03 1/2	11 3/4 "
16	4.03 3/4	11 3/4 "
17	4.03 3/4	11 5/8 "
18	4.03 3/4	11 5/8 "
19	4.03 3/4	11 5/8 "
Sunday		
21	4.03 3/4	11 1/2 Discount
22	4.03 3/4	11 5/8 "
23	4.03 3/4	11 5/8 "
24	4.04	11 5/8 "
25	4.04	11 9/16 "
26	4.04	11 5/8 "
Sunday		
28	4.03 1/2	11 1/2 Discount
29	4.03 1/2	11 1/2 "
30	4.03 3/4	11 3/8 "
31	4.03 1/2	11 3/8 "

^{1/} Basis for converting closing prices on foreign mar'tets
 into United States values shown in tables 6, 15 and 18.
2/ Not available, U. S. banks closed.

Note: Pound sterling quotations from the Chicago Daily
Tribune; Canadian currency quotations furnished by a
large Chicago bank.



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